

# paper printing and publishing

IN 593 AD THE FIRST PRINTING PRESS WAS INVENTED IN CHINA . THE FIRST PRINTED NEWSPAPER WAS AVAILABLE IN BEIJING IN 700 AD. THE DIAMOND SUTRA WAS THE EARLIEST KNOWN COMPLETED WOOD BLOCK PRINTED BOOK WITH PICTURES .THAT WAS PRINTED IN CHINA IN 868 AD. THE CHINESE INVENTOR, PI SHENG INVENTED MOVEABLE TYPE 104 AD. IT'S KIND OF SIMILAR TO TECHNOLOGY THAT GERMAN PRINTER JOHN GUTEN BURG USED IN THE 1415 TO PRODUCE HIS FAMOUS PRINT TYPE OF THE BIBLE. IN 1155 AD LIU CHING PRODUCED THE FIRST PRINTED MAP IN CHINA . THE IMPACT OF THESE INVENTIONS HAD EDUCATIONAL AND POLITICAL INFLUENCE IN THE WORLD.

